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Mary Hughes.....Oak Hill
Oretha Violette Johnson.....Eureka
Walter Wray Metcalf.....Vinton

Ernest L. Nixon.....Creola
Heber Chauncey Provens..... Rio Grande
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PIANOFORTE

PREPARATORY

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Ulah Williams.....Bidwell
Nellie Williams.....Bidwell

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Helen Martin.....Rio Grande
Sallie Morrison.....Bidwell
Edith Belle Powell.....Bidwell
Raymond Hutsinpiller Powell.....Bidwell
Bessie Catherine Phillips.....Alice
Anna Rees.....Gage
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Harry Ridgway.....Bidwell, R. 3
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Pleasant Austin Gills ..... Gage
John Everett Gills ..... Gage
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Essie Odell Smith.....Oak Hill
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Merlin Tanner.....Thurman, R. 1
Earl V. Walker.....Evergreen

SUMMARY

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Courses of Study

English and Normal Course

This course has been arranged for teachers in the public schools. Within the last few years there has been an increased number of students who have completed it. In accordance with instructions given by the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, the course has been revised and enlarged. It offers an attractive and useful line of study to those who do not at present feel themselves ready to enter upon one of the longer courses.

The following studies are included in the English and Normal course:

Grammar, two terms, one in etymology, one in syntax.

Composition, one term.

Arithmetic, three terms.

Common school Geography, one term.

Physical Geography, one term.

United tates History and Civics, three terms.

Algebra, two terms.

Physiology, one term.

Bookkeeping, one term.

Elementary Physics and Electricity, with laboratory practice, two terms.

Theory and Practice of Teaching, with White's Elements of Pedagogy as text-book, two terms.

History of Education, two terms.

History of English and American Literature, two terms.

For the two terms of Elementary Physics and Electricity, the study of Elementary Botany and Elementary Zoology, as taught in the Preparatory Department, may be substituted. The studies of the English and Normal Course which belong to the Preparatory Course as laid down in this catalog, are to be studied during the terms there mentioned, with the exception of the common-school branches of study. In these studies, classes are organized each term according to the needs of the students.

In addition to the studies above named, the reading of a select number of English and American Classics will be required. These are the same as required in the Preparatory Course, and for the year 1908-'09 will be as follows:

1. Shakespeare's Macbeth, or Julius Caesar.
2. Scott's Lay of the Last Minstrel.
3. Milton's Paradise Lost, Books I and II.
4. Burke's Conciliation with the American Colonies.
5. George Eliot's Silas Marner.

In reading the above works, there are certain definite ends that the student should attain. He should acquire a clear knowledge of the subject-matter of each composition. This knowledge will be tested by recitation, by the writing of short compositions on subjects drawn from the reading and assigned by a teacher, and by a final examination. The student should also acquire a knowledge of the main facts in the life of each author.

It is hoped that this English and Normal course of study will be carefully examined by many public school teachers and that many will enter upon it and complete it. It will be observed that to take all of the studies in class at Rio Grande College will require less than two years. Many students entering upon this course are already proficient in part of these studies. The college will conduct examinations upon such studies and if the examinations are successfully passed, the student will not be required to take those studies in classes. Grades secured at examination for certificates to teach will not be accepted.

It is easily within the power of any teacher in the ungraded rural schools to complete this course. There are many advantages in doing so. Among these advantages the following may be named:

1. Study pursued with a definite end in view is always more systematic and energetic and secures more rapid advancement.

2. A good degree of genuine culture and practical preparation for teaching will thus be secured.

3. School officers will be favorably impressed by the fact that teachers applying to them for employment have done definite and well arranged work in preparing for teaching.

4. The teacher himself, as a result of the successful accomplishment of a prescribed task, is more likely to have high ideals and to strive for decided success in his work.

5. The successful completion of this course often leads to

more extended study. The bearing of this fact upon one's usefulness and success in his life-work, is very great.

English and Normal Diploma

Those who satisfactorily complete the English and Normal Course, receive diplomas indicating the completion of the course and literary fitness for teaching.

Scientific Preparatory Course

FIRST YEAR.

FIRST TERM—Grammar, Etymology—*Harvey*; Higher Arithmetic, B—*Ray*; United States History, first half of *Barnes's History*.

SECOND TERM—Grammar, Syntax—*Harvey*; Higher Arithmetic, A—*Ray*; United States History, second half of *Barnes's History*.

THIRD TERM—Composition and Rhetoric; Book-keeping—*Bryant and Stratton*; Civics—*McCleary*.

FOURTH TERM—Latin—*Coy's Latin Lessons* to Lesson 33; Elementary Zoology; Physiology and Hygiene—*Overton*.

SECOND YEAR.

FIRST TERM —Latin—*Coy's Latin Lessons* to Lesson 60; General History—*Myers*, to Chapter 21; Elementary Botany.

SECOND TERM.—Latin—*Coy's Latin Lessons* to Lesson 81; General History—*Myers*, to Chapter 37; Elementary Algebra to Equations containing more than one unknown quantity—*Ray*.

THIRD TERM.—Latin—*Coy's Latin Lessons* to end of book; General History—*Myers*, to Chapter 56; Elementary Algebra to end of book—*Ray*.

FOURTH TERM.—Latin—*Caesar*, first book; General History—*Myers*, to end of book; Physical Geography—*Tarr*.

THIRD YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—Latin—*Caesar*, second and third books; Higher Algebra—*Ray*; Literature, first half of *Shaw-Backus Hand-Book*.

SECOND TERM.—Latin—*Cicero*, two orations against Catiline; Higher Algebra—*Ray*; Literature, second half of *Shaw-Backus Hand-Book*.

THIRD TERM.—Latin—*Cicero*, two orations selected; Physics—*Carhart and Chute*; Plane Geometry—*Phillips and Fisher*.

FOURTH TERM.—Latin—*Vergil*, first book of Aeneid; Physics—*Carhart and Chute*; Solid Geometry—*Phillips and Fisher*.

REMARKS ON THE SCIENTIFIC PREPARATORY COURSE.

In accordance with instructions given by the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, and in order to keep the work of Rio Grande College in all its departments in line with recent advancement in educational work, this course has been revised and lengthened. It now contains three years' work. It is so arranged as to assign three full studies to each term. But in the future, as in the past, students who desire to take four studies and who are found able to do the work satisfactorily, will be permitted to do so. In this way the time required to complete the work may be and often is shortened.

The changes that have been made are as follows:

LATIN.—The study of Latin will begin in the Spring Term and the course will contain three terms more of Latin than it did formerly.

MATHEMATICS.—One term in Mathematics has been added and he course now contains both Plane and Solid Geometry.

HISTORY.—The work in United States History has been divided nto two terms' work. It has long been found difficult to accomplish the work as heretofore arranged. General History has been added and a full year's work will be required. *Myers's* General History has been revised and brought down to the Treaty of Portsmouth and the election of the Russian Parliament, and will be the text-book used.

LITERATURE.—Two terms of study of English and American Literature will be required, with the *Shaw-Backus Hand-Book* as the text-book. A list of classics similar to those selected for years past will be assigned for study and examination. This list is fully described in the paragraph setting forth the requirements in the English and Normal Course. More extended and critical work in Literature will be provided for the Collegiate Course.

SCIENCE.—The work in Elementary Zoology has been extended so as to occupy an entire term, and a term's work in Elementary Botany has been added.

As now arranged, the Scientific Preparatory Course contains thirty-six terms' work, distributed as follows among the general branches of study:

English Language and Literature	5
Mathematics	9
Natural Science	6
History and Civics	7
Latin	9

Nature and Value of this Course

Altho the primary purpose of the Preparatory Course is to lead to the Collegiate Course, yet it is complete in itself. It is made up of carefully selected and naturally arranged studies. The college advises young persons who do not design to complete a Collegiate Course or who do not feel able to do so, to follow the Preparatory Course as laid down in this catalog. A more thoro and practical training will thus be secured than by taking an equal number of studies selected by the student. The Preparatory Course thoroly studied and well mastered is worth far more to the student than a larger number of branches hastily and superficially studied. Besides, the student often enlarges his plan as he advances. When this is the case, he can at once follow his enlarged plan without delay or inconvenience.

Scientific Collegiate Course

FRESHMAN YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—Vergil, Aeneid, Book II; Higher Algebra A; French.

SECOND TERM.—Vergil, Aeneid, Books III & IV; Plane Trigonometry; French.

THIRD TERM.—Vergil, Aeneid, Books V & VI; Spherical Trigonometry; French.

FOURTH TERM.—Livy; Surveying; French.

SOPHOMORE YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—Livy; Analytic Geometry, to Conic Sections; German.

SECOND TERM.—De Amicitia; Analytical Geometry, Conic Sections; German.

THIRD TERM.—Germania; Mechanics; German.

FOURTH TERM.—Horace; Physics; German.

JUNIOR YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—Inorganic Chemistry; Differential Calculus; English Literature, 18th century poems.

SECOND TERM.—Organic Chemistry; Integral Calculus; English Literature, 19th century poems.

THIRD TERM.—Physiology; Geology; Rhetoric.

FOURTH TERM.—Botany; Astronomy, Descriptive; Modern History, European.

SENIOR YEAR.

FIRST TERM.—Modern History, American; Psychology I; Astronomy, Mathematical.

SECOND TERM.—Evidences of Christianity & Acts; Psychology II; Zoology.

THIRD TERM.—Logic, six weeks; Ethics, four weeks; Political Economy; Electricity.

FOURTH TERM.—International Law; Political Economy; Ethics.

Course in Instrumental Music

PREPARATORY COURSE.

Kohler's Piano Method, Op. 300.

Eccarius—Sieber, master system of training the hand.

Duvernoy—Op. 179, Studies for Beginners.

Eilenberg—Op. 249.

This course is intended to occupy the student about one year and a half.

English Studies Connected With Music Course

DEGREE IN MUSIC AND DIPLOMA.

Many students in Music desire a good general education in addition to their musical education. For such students Rio Grande College makes provision. A selected list of English studies are connected with the studies of the Music course. Music students who desire to take these studies in the regular classes of the other departments can do so. If all the English studies assigned are completed in connection with the completion of the Music course, a parchment diploma bearing the degree of Bachelor of Music will be given. The graduation fee in such case will be five dollars.

The studies selected for this course are as follows:

English Grammar, two terms.
Composition and Rhetoric, one term.
English and American Literature, two terms.
The English and American Classics selected for the Preparatory and the English and Normal Courses.
United States History and Civics, three terms.
General History, four terms.

Four Years' Course

FRESHMAN YEAR.

Schmitt-Klauser—Exercises.
Heller—Etudes, Op. 47.
Clementi—Sonatas, Op. 36, 37 and 38.
Schumann—Album, Op. 68.
Low—Teacher and Pupil.
Theory.
Memorizing begun and continued throughout the course.
Ensemble playing.
Album of popular piano pieces.

SOPHOMORE YEAR.

Bach—Short Preludes and Fugues.
Mozart—Eight sonatas, selected.
Heller—Etudes, Op. 45 and 16.

Czerny—Etudes, Op. 299.
Tausig—Daily studies.
Emery—Harmony.
Kolling—Teacher and Pupil, Op. 363.
Schubert—Marches for four hands.

JUNIOR YEAR.

Cramer—Etudes, selected.
Bach—Inventions, complete.
Mendelssohn—Songs Without Words, selected.
Beethoven—Three easy Sonatas, selected.
Kullak—School of Octaves, Op. 49, book I.
Pauer—Musical forms.
Chopin—Waltzes and Mazurkas, selected.
Czerny—Etudes, Op. 299.
Joseffy—School of advanced piano playing.
Overtures for four hands by popular composers.
Score playing begun.
I. Philipp—Exercises in Extension.

SENIOR YEAR.

Clementi-Tausig—Gradus ad Parnassum.
Beethoven—Three difficult Sonatas.
Kullak—Etudes, Op. 48, book II.
Chopin—Preludes, Op. 28, selected.
Schumann—Work selected from Op. 12, Op. 15, Op. 21, Op. 23, and Op. 9.
Czerny—Studies, Op. 365.
Henselt—Studies and pieces.
One concerto.
History of Music.
Concert pieces selected and memorized throughout the course.

Rio Grande College

Historical Sketch

This school owes its existence to the Christian benevolence of Deacon Nehemiah Atwood and his wife, Permelia Atwood. Mr. and Mrs. Atwood were married in 1819, and spent all of their subsequent lives in Raccoon township, Gallia county, Ohio, where they accumulated an estate of over one hundred thousand dollars. About the year 1850, Rev. Ira Z. Haning, a student of the Ohio University at Athens, Ohio, and a minister in the Freewill Baptist denomination, was preaching in Huntington and Raccoon townships, where he was instrumental in bringing about a religious reformation whose good results have ever been apparent. Under his ministry Mr. and Mrs. Atwood were converted and joined the Freewill Baptist church.

The following record is taken from their family Bible, now in the library of Rio Grande College:

"Nehemiah Atwood and Permelia, his wife, were baptized, through the mercy of God, by Bro. Ira Z. Haning, Freewill Baptist, 26th January, 1851."

From that time until their death they were active in Christian work and liberal in the support of the church and its benevolent enterprises.

Gradually the purpose of giving their entire estate to found and endow an institution for higher Christian education in the place where their lives had been spent and their estate accumulated was developed and matured. In the growth of their sentiment and plans Mr. Haning was their valued adviser.

When Mr. Atwood died, in December, 1869, these plans had been fully formed, but no steps taken to carry them out. His widow at once began to move in this direction. A campus of ten acres was laid out upon one of their farms. Around this campus the village of Rio Grande has grown up. The main college building was erected in the summer of 1875 and the boarding hall in 1876. The college began the work of instruction September 13, 1876.

The Educational Policy of the College

Rio Grande College endeavors to occupy the proper place in that great system of American education which is now clearly defined in its outline. This position is intermediate. Below the college are the common schools, the high schools, and the preparatory schools. It would be well if all appropriate work of these lower schools could be done in them. But, as it is not, most colleges have, of necessity, a preparatory department. While there are disadvantages in this, still the unity in intellectual work which is secured by having the collegiate work done by the same teachers that have conducted the preparatory work, is a compensating advantage.

In the collegiate course the aim has been well expressed by a leading American college president, as follows:

"To produce scholars whose knowledge of ancient and modern languages and literatures, higher mathematics, experimental science, political and economic history, psychology, ethics, and sociology enables them to grasp the principles of law or medicine or politics or theology; to guide social progress and form public opinion; to enjoy the companionship of wise and good men of all lands and ages; and to appreciate the results in some department of scientific or historical research."

Above the college is the university, whose work it is to train and develop those select scholars who are not simply to appropriate the things already known, but to advance the knowledge of truth in some chosen field of study.

In taking and holding this high but intermediate position, Rio Grande College aims to do its appropriate work for its students. Its success in this is demonstrated by the practical ability shown by its graduates in various forms of work, and by the excellent work done by those graduates who have taken university and professional studies.

The Religious Policy of the College

The trustees and teachers consider true religion to be the foundation of the most valuable intellectual attainments, and use all the means in their power to promote sound Christian principles among the students. In the words of the articles of association, the college was founded "to promote Christian education." A system of education that develops only the intellect and appeals

only to worldly motives is partial and incomplete. Those who are thus educated cannot have the highest form of personal worth or perform the best work for their fellowmen.

The work of inculcating religious principles and forming Christian character is pursued in no narrow and illiberal way.

Denominational Character and Religious Work

The preamble to the constitution of the college says that the purpose of its trustees will be to give, under Christian influence, a scientific, literary, and classical education. An article in the constitution requires two-thirds of the members of the board of trustees to be members of the Freewill Baptist church. From the beginning it has been the ruling idea in the work of the college that personal loyalty to Christ is the only true foundation of sound intellectual acquirements, and the only preparation for the right use of such acquirements in our divinely appointed work of life. While there has been no regular system of theological instruction, yet at different times instruction of this kind has been given such as the circumstances called for and made possible. Over thirty men who have entered the Christian ministry, over half of them in the Freewill Baptist church, have received all or an important part of their training here.

In the light of the facts above enumerated in regard to the denominational and religious character of the college, the duty of the churches to patronize it and help increase its usefulness is apparent. This duty belongs in an especial degree to ministers. One of the most important duties of the Christian pastor is to guide the minds of the young members of his charge toward the most thoro and generous preparation for their life-work.

Free Tuition for Ministerial Students

As a contribution to an enlightened and progressive Christianity, the trustees of the college give free tuition to properly accredited candidates for the Christian ministry without regard to their denominational connection. In doing this they feel that they make a legitimate claim to the support of Christian ministers and Christian people. They ask such persons to note this fact, and call the attention of young men contemplating the ministry to this provision. This privilege admits only to the regular academic work of the college, not to special theological studies or to instruction in music.

The College Library

The college library now contains 3,500 volumes. It has numerous works on history and science and is well supplied with the best reference works. Among these are the Standard Dictionary, two volumes; the Century Dictionary, Cyclopedia, and Atlas, ten volumes; Johnson's Cyclopedia, eight volumes; Encyclopedia Britannica, twenty-six volumes; Who's Who in America; Lippincott's Pronouncing Gazetteer of the World.

Geological Cabinet

The geological cabinet is the most complete and valuable single collection in the college. The specimens are mounted, classified, labeled, and protected from dust. They illustrate almost every formation described in the standard text-books on geology. Valuable additions are made every year. In teaching this subject, constant and thoro use is made of the cabinet.

Zoological Cabinet

This cabinet is small but helpful. It contains some salt water animals, shells, birds, and nests, some of the smaller vertebrates in alcohol, etc. In the insect world, the specimens are largely obtained fresh for each class. Students provide themselves with a single microscope, while compound microscopes and field glasses are furnished by the school. This study has been required in the Junior Preparatory course since 1895, and the pupils of this class are frequently taken to the woods, fields, or streams to study birds and their ways, to gather specimens of insects, to learn the food and habits of their larvae, etc.

Illustrative Apparatus for Teaching Physics and Electricity

The following new material has been added to this department: a Ritchie lever air pump, pole changer, Wheatstone slide wire bridge, electro magnet, magneto bell ringer, transmitter, receiver, tangent galvanometer, Trobridge galvanometer with accessories; extra coils, mirror needle, damping well, glass window; rotating magnet, storage battery, bichromate battery of four cells, dry battery; zinc, copper, and lead electrodes: five pounds of mercury, and copper wire of every size.

The college now has for this work in addition to the above, an

Edison lamp, telegraph instrument, telephone instrument, induction coils, electric motor, rheostat, dynamo, seven-in-one vacuum tube, force pump, balances, air-pressure tube; and Leclanche, Bunsen, gravity, Daniel batteries.

The subject of electricity is now taught as a separate and distinct branch of study in the Senior year of the Scientific Course. The work covers one term. The text-book adopted is "Jackson's Electricity and Magnetism." The method adopted for class-room work divides the time equally between the subject-matter of the text-book and practical laboratory work.

Surveying Instruments

For the practical teachings of civil engineering the college possesses a first-class surveying instrument, with leveling rods, chains, and draughting instruments. That very thoro work is done in this study is shown by the fact that the engineering of the turnpikes which have been built in Gallia and Jackson counties has been done almost wholly by students of this school. The aim of this department is to combine the practical with the theoretical. Much time is spent in the field in running lines, locating corners, and laying out roads and ditches for tile draining.

Degrees and Diplomas

Those who complete the cientific Collegiate Course receive the degree of Bachelor of Science. Graduates of not less than three years' standing who have maintained professional, literary, or scientific work and study, upon application receive the degree of Master of Science. A graduation fee of five dollars is charged for each of the above degrees. A graduation fee of two dollars is charged to those who complete the English and Normal Course, and three dollars to those who complete the Music Course. Diplomas are given in all the above cases.

Piano

In the department of Instrumental Music pupils of all grades are received. Special attention and care are given to beginners and those who come to us with little or no knowledge of the rudiments and foundation of musical structure.

Harmony and history of music are taught free of any expense to the pupil except for books.

We do not claim to make musicians in the fullest meaning of the word, for they are born, not made; but we do claim to develop the artistic in every pupil, and any one satisfactorily completing the course may in one year's time graduate from the New England Conservatory of Music.

A good foundation being necessary for a musical education, special care is taken to develop the technic of the student.

The training of the memory is of great importance, and all the work performed in public is required to be thoroly memorized as well as all technical work.

No student will be advanced from one year to another without first showing by his ability and willingness to work that he is entitled to the advancement. It may be seen by this that a student may not be advanced from a junior to senior until he has been a junior from four to six or even eight terms.

Upon graduation the pupil will be required to perform a concerto, which will be selected by the teacher of music.

Public recitals are given to enable the pupils to appear at ease when playing in public.

In both the vocal and instrumental departments the system of private lessons is used.

While many come to study music only, they often find it profitable to take one or more studies in college. The music pupils are under college discipline, and enjoy the college reading-room, library, and other privileges.

The rental for piano or organ is so small ($1.50 per term for each hour) that it enables the student to practice as many hours a day as health will permit, without incurring great expense. The expense of books and sheet music is in all cases borne by the student and is made as small as possible.

Voice

A modern course in voice culture is carried out, based upon the Italian method. Each student receives from thirty to forty-five minutes in instruction and the voice is strengthened and developed in a natural way. Chorus singing is an important part of our work.

Organ

Students who wish may take their lessons upon the organ, and a course of organ music is used in such cases.

Musical Instruments

The college owns three upright pianos, one grand piano, and one Chicago cottage organ.

College Y. M. C. A.

Since its organization in 1882 the college Y. M C. A. has been an important auxiliary to the work of the college. Under its auspices a prayer meeting is held in the college once a week, and classes for Bible study are kept up from time to time.

Location and Surroundings

The village of Rio Grande is thirteen miles northwest of Gallipolis, and the same distance east of Oak Hill. It is six miles from Bidwell, on the C. H. V. & T. Railroad.

The fact that there are no saloons or other places of vicious resort at Rio Grande is a matter of great importance. Young men and women cannot safely be sent to places where these things exist. A few may be proof against temptation, but real safety is found where they do not exist. Rio Grande is free from many of the demoralizing influences found in large cities and towns.

Rhetorical Exercises

Four rhetorical exercises are required of each student each term. The members of the school are divided into rhetorical classes under the charge of the teachers. Especial assistance is given by the teachers to those who have had no previous instruction or experience in composition and speaking. The aim of this work is to train the students to speak with self-possession, grace, and energy, and to write correct and expressive English. *Students who do not wish to speak will be permitted to substitute written exercises.*

Public Rhetorical Exercises

Public rhetorical exercises are held on Thursday evening of the ninth week of each term. These exercises are in great part declamations, but essays, orations, and discussions make part of the program at times. Those who take part are selected from the lower as well as from the more advanced classes and there are usually twelve participants in each exercise. The separate parts are short, and the aim is to train the speakers to deliver them

with plainness and force. The passages to be spoken are selected with care on account of excellence in sentiment and beauty and force of language. These exercises have been of great interest and value, and are always largely attended. They have helped to develop the literary taste of both the students and the community.

Expenses

Tuition, Common English Studies, per term	$ 6 00
Tuition, Higher Studies, per term	7 00
Instrumental Music, per term of 20 lessons	8 00
Use of organ or piano for practice, two hours daily, per term	3 00
Stenography, per term	10 00

All dues payable at least half a term in advance.

When students do not enter at the beginning of a term, tuition is not charged for the time that has been lost.

Free Tuition under the Patterson Law

Graduates from the common schools of Ohio, under the Patterson Law, who attend Rio Grande College one term within one year after their graduation, will be admitted free of charge for the term immediately following.

Boarding

Boarding and lodging with all things furnished to the student can be obtained at $3.00 per week or less, both in the College Boarding Hall and in private houses in or near the village. Where the student furnishes fuel, lights, bedding, and toilet articles, the price is reduced.

Opportunities for self-boarding may be obtained by corresponding in advance with the president.

Reading Room

The most constantly needed of the works of reference that belong to the college library are kept in a reading-room to which the students have daily access. The reading-room is also well supplied with standard and local periodicals. The following standard periodicals have been received the present year: *The American Monthly and Review of Reviews, The Century Magazine, The Atlantic Monthly, McClure's Magazine, Frank Leslie's Magazine, The Youths'*

Companion, The Morning Star, The Journal and Messenger, The Advocate of Peace, The American Economist, The Scientific American, The Double Cross, The Missionary Helper. In addition to these many local papers have been regularly placed in the reading room.

The Clark Prize Contest

At the annual meeting in June, 1898, the Board of Trustees, by unanimous vote, approved a plan submitted by Prof. C. O. Clark, of establishing a prize contest in thought, composition, and delivery of orations.

The plan is to raise a permanent fund of five hundred dollars by donations from persons bearing the name of Clark, and to use its interest from year to year in awarding prizes, consisting of books, for the best work, as above mentioned

The plan provides that whenever one hundred dollars shall have been received by the treasurer of the college for this purpose, it shall be turned over to Messrs. Wood and Fulton, trustees of the endowment fund, or their successors, as a permanent fund for the purpose herein stated.

Already one hundred dollars have been secured and turned over to the trustees of the permanent fund, with twenty dollars in the hands of the treasurer towards the second hundred.

All donations to this fund may be sent to C. O. Clark, college treasurer, who will promptly acknowledge the same and make the proper record thereof.

The names, post-office address, and gifts of all donors will be carefully preserved in the archives of the college.

Rules Governing the Contest

There shall be one contest for first and second prize from junior and senior classes; one from the freshman and sophomore classes; and one including all other students.

If in any contest but two compete, but one first prize shall be given, the second going to the library; and if at any time there be no competition, both prizes shall be given to the library.

The number of words for juniors and seniors, freshmen and sophomores, must not be less than 1,000, or more than 2,000; and the number for all other students must not be less than 800 or more than 1,500.

The orations from all contestants in the college department

must be handed in to the president of the college, to be passed upon by the faculty in thought and composition, by the end of the second week of each fourth or last term of the college year, and all others by the end of the fourth week. They must all be handed in signed with a fictitious name.

No contestant shall be permitted to receive more than two hours' drill from any one of the teachers of the college.

The contest shall be held the week preceding commencement, the night to be designated by the faculty.

The presiding officer shall choose three persons to decide upon the merits of the delivery.

The faculty shall decide to whom the prizes shall be given, making the award upon the merits of the thought, composition, and delivery; and all prizes shall be awarded by the president of the college upon Commencement Day.

There was no competition for this prize in the spring of 1908.

What the College Claims

In view of the thoro and practical instruction given in all departments; of the present facilities for illustrating by proper apparatus and material the studies that require such illustration; of the fact that substantial additions are made to library, apparatus, etc., every year; of the important fact that the students are brought into close personal relations with the teachers daily, and receive careful personal attention at each recitation; and lastly, in view of the positions which the graduates and advanced students have been able to secure and retain,—the trustees claim for Rio Grande College a standing among the educational institutions, and the claim is recognized wherever the college and its work are known.

In addition the trustees confidently assert that the advantages here offered are provided at as small expense to the students as by any other school of like grade in the country. There are very few institutions of equal rank where expenses are not much greater. Parents desiring to educate their children, and thoughtful young men and women desiring to educate themselves, are invited to consider these facts before deciding that it is impossible to secure a higher education. To all the people in Southeastern Ohio and the adjacent parts of West Virginia and Kentucky, Rio Grande College affords the opportunity of a college education at a smaller cost than they can secure it elsewhere. Many have secured such an education here who could

not have done so elsewhere. *Students from a distance can attend here and save much more than the cost of travel.* Those who are poor in this world's goods are often rich in talent and character. To such persons Rio Grande College opens wide the door of opportunity.

How to Help Rio Grande College

Those who receive and read this catalog are earnestly requested to consider the following suggestions as to ways in which they can help the college extend its noble influence in the world:

1. By securing students. A word spoken in season may cause some young person to take a course that will increase his personal success and public usefulness beyond all computation. Do not speak that word only when the opportunity is thrust upon you, but seek the opportunity.

2. By sending to the college officers the names and addresses of persons to whom it would be profitable to send catalog and circulars for the purpose of securing students, and of persons who would respond favorably to an invitation to contribute to its funds.

3. By contributing personally to the endowment fund. While this is a time in which large and almost startling gifts are being made to educational institutions, it is also a time in which some of the grandest agencies for good are being established by a multitude of smaller gifts. In the latter way it is entirely possible for the friends of Rio Grande College to make it rich and strong for the great and enduring usefulness for which it is destined. Let no friend, therefore, withhold his gift because it cannot be large. It is well to remember that if a large number of donors here concentrate their moderate donations, this may hereafter attract some great and princely gift.

The trustees ardently hope that these considerations will have full weight with those who read this catalog. They earnestly desire the widest and most liberal co-operation of all true friends of higher Christian education.

Alumni Association

This association was organized in 1892. The present officers are: C. E. Davis, Gallipolis, Ohio, president; Lida S. Lucas, Cheshire, Ohio, vice-president; Mollie Fulton, Rio Grande, Ohio, secretary; M. R. McDaniel, Rushville, Ind., treasurer; Bessie Gibbons, Rac-

coon Island, Ohio, J. W. Jones, Birmingham, Ala., Carrie Davis, Rio Grande, Ohio, executive committee.

Following is given a list of graduates of the college. It is proposed to include a list of graduates in each annual catalog hereafter, with the residence and occupation of each one at the time of the publication of the catalog. Catalogs will be mailed to all, and it is desired that any correction or change in residence or occupation be promptly reported to the secretary of the college.

Directory of Graduates

Barrett, Sam Smith, B. S., '88, Physician, Nevada, Ohio.

Barrett, Van Farney, B. S., '91, Physician, Lake View, Ohio.

Bing, Dana G., B. S., '02, M. S., '05, Cashier, National Bank, Roslyn, Wash.

Brandebury, Henry Andrew, A. B., '84, A. M., '00, Physician, 931 Sixth Avenue, Huntington, W. Va.

Buckle, Herbert Wilmot, B. S., '95, Assistant Superintendent Metropolitan Insurance Co., Cumberland, Md.

Buckle, Charles Kerns, B. S., '98, A. M., University of Wooster, '00, Professor of Psychology, State Normal School, Springfield, S. D.

Campbell, James Ross, B. S., '99, M. S., '02, Chief Chemist, Frick Coke Co., Scottdale, Pa.

Carter, Oscar Moore, B. S., '88, *Trade Journal* Correspondent and Advertising Representative, 106 Carlyon Road, Cleveland, Ohio.

Chase, Freeman Winn, B. S., '00, Pastor Free Baptist Church, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Cherrington, Lola L., B. S., '99, Assistant Principal High School, Wellston, Ohio.

Coughenour, Virgil J., B. S., '03, Electrical Engineer, Carlton, Ohio.

Crawford, Nora Bell, B. S., '90. Mrs. S. C. Smith, Clerk of the State Board of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.

Davis, Thomas Dewey, A. B., '83, Minister, Tecumseh, Neb.

Davis, William Homer, A. B., '85, A. M., '88, Lawyer, Railway Exchange Building, Denver, Colo.

Davis, John Wesley, B. S., '94, U. S. Mail Service, 157 Climax St., Pittsburg, Pa.

Davis, Lizzie, B. S., '97, Teacher, Cora, Ohio.

Davis, Carrie Samantha, B. S., '98, Rio Grande, Ohio.

Davis, Charles Elliott, B. S., '99, Profit Clerk, Henking-Bovie Co., Wholesale Grocers, Gallipolis, Ohio.

Davis, John Boyd, B. S., '06, Professor of German and Biology, Rio Grande College, Rio Grande, Ohio.

Deckard, Walter William, B. S., '93, A. B. and B. D. Hillsdale College '99, A. M. Brown University '05, Pastor Free Baptist Church, Arlington, R. I.

Dyer, Leonidas Bingley, A. B., '85, Lawyer, 155 La Salle St., Chicago, Ill.

Edwards, Richard Roland, B. S., '02, Clerk, P. C. C. & St. L. R. R., Springfield, Ohio.

Fulton, Stella May, B. S., '92, M. S. '00, Teacher of English and Latin in Rio Grande College, Rio Grande, Ohio.

Fulton, Mary Minnie, B. S., '97, Rio Grande, Ohio.

Fulton, Ira Jasper, B. S., '00, Assistant Cashier, Vinton Banking Co., Vinton, Ohio.

Gibbons, Bessie Guthrie, B. S., '02, Music Student, Oberlin Conservatory, Oberlin, Ohio.

Glenn, Augusta Eleanor, B. S., '94, Mrs. H. F. Gross, South Charleston, Ohio.

Gross, Howard Fulton, A. B., '92, Merchant, South Charleston, Ohio.

Gross, Lydia S., B. S., '92, Mrs. L. E. Lewis, Rio Grande, Ohio.

Halley, James Harvey, B. S., '03, Real Estate and Insurance, Sharon, Pa.

Hamilton, Edwin Asher, A. B., '86, Physician, 860 East Main St., Columbus, Ohio.

Haning, Gertrude Rebecca, B. S., '83, Mrs. H. G. Bowles, Huntington, W. Va.

Haning, Nehemiah Atwood, B. S., '92, Physician, Cor. 36th and Jacob Sts., Wheeling, W. Va.

Holcomb, John D., B. S., '92, M. S., '00, Professor of Mathematics, Rio Grande College, Rio Grande, Ohio.

Holcomb, Irene Isabelle, B. S., '99, M. S., '03, Mrs. A. F. Zimmerman, Teacher of Latin, High School, Harrington, Wash.

Humphrey, Sardine Presley, B. S., '95, Superintendent Public Schools, Ironton, Ohio.

Jacobs, Ira Williams, B. S., '83, Merchant, Vinton, Ohio.

Jacobs, Charles Seward, A. B., '84, Merchant, Vinton, Ohio.

Jacobs, Sarah Alice, B. S., '92, Mrs. V. F. Barrett, Lake View, Ohio.

Jones, Jenkin William, A. B., '84, Civil and Mining Engineer, Birmingham, Alabama.

Jones, Benner, B. S., '92, Lawyer, Probate Judge, Jackson, Ohio.

Jones, Thomas Wilbur, A. B., '92, Examiner in the Bureau of Inspection and Supervision of Public Offices, Department of Auditor of State, Columbus, Ohio.

Kling, Emma Elizabeth, B. S., '96, Teacher of German and Stenography, High School, Greenfield, Ohio.

Leonard, Millard Filmore, B. S., '97, Surveyor of Gallia County, Gallipolis, Ohio.

Lucas, Eliza Symmes, B. S., '01, Cheshire, Ohio.

McCall, Elmer Sheridan, B. S., '94, Superintendent Public Schools, Wellston, Ohio.

McDaniel, Marion Ross, B. S., '02, M. S., '05, Principal High School, Rushville, Ind.

Morgan, John Stanley, B. S., '02, Book-keeper, Louisville & Portsmouth Fire Brick Co., Portsmouth, Ohio.

Moulton, Gertrude Evelyn, A. B., '05, Instructor in Physical Training, University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill.

Powell, Edith Belle, B. S., '08, Teacher, Porter-Bidwell Public Schools, Bidwell, Ohio.

Price, Ella Rebecca, B. S., '98, Mrs. F. W. Chase, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Rees, S. Newton, B. S., '00, Farmer, Rio Grande, Ohio.

Shepard, Anna May, A. B., '89, Mrs. Franklin Pierce, Lawyer, 312 West 103d St., New York.

Shires, Carrie, B. S., '97, Rio Grande, Ohio.

Shoemaker, Varney Verne, B. S., '03, M. S., '07, Superintendent of Schools, Skykomish, Wash.

Smith, Mary Catherine, B. S., '03, Mrs. V. J. Coughenour, Carlton, Ohio.

Stafford, Harry Frank, B. S., '07, Pastor M. E. Church, Burlington, Ohio.

Ward, David Archibald, B. S., '04, Professor of Physics, Michigan Military School, Orchard Lake, Mich.

Ward, Sallie Edith, B. S., '06, Teacher, Oak Hill, Ohio.

Ward, Martha Alwylda, B. S., '08.

Watson, Martha Abigail, B. S., '08.

Welker, Franklin Clive, B. S., '08, Teacher of History and Mathematics, High School, Germantown, Ohio.

Welker, Adriel, B. S., '01, M. S., '05, Superintendent Public Schools, Cheshire, Ohio.

Wood, Flora Elizabeth, B. S., '91, Mrs. O. M. Carter, 106 Carlyon Road, Cleveland, Ohio.

Wood, Laura Mary, B. S., '91, Mrs. T. W. Jones, 53 Pugh Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

Wood, Harry Augustus, B. S., '93, General Agent International Harvester Co., Rio Grande, Ohio.

Woodruff, Harley Wilmer, B. S., '94, Farmer, Vinton, Ohio.

Graduates of Music Department

Corn, Edith Clare, '97, Thurman, Ohio.
Davis, Carrie Samantha, '97, Rio Grande, Ohio.
Evans, Charlotte, '97, Thurman, Ohio.
Isaacs, Anna, '02, Cadmus, Ohio.
Jones, Jennie Alice, '06, Keystone, Ohio.
Lloyd, Merry Christmas, B. Mus., '08.
Pierce, Alberta Evadne, '05, Waterloo, Ohio.
Reese, Jennie, '02, Beale, W. Va.
Rickabaugh, Esther Elizabeth, '05, Rio Grande, Ohio.
Thomas, Sadie, '05, Thurman, Ohio.

Deceased Graduates

Atkinson, Hilas Lawrence, B. S., '98, M. S., '02. Died at Fire Creek, W. Va., Aug. 14, 1908.

Crawford, Minnie Dell, B. S., '85, Mrs. J. W. Jones. Died at Gallipolis, Ohio, Oct. 29, 1904.

Haning, Ida Bell, B. S., '83, Mrs. H. A. Brandebury, Huntington, W. Va. Died at Huntington, Feb. 10, 1904.

Frowine, Charles Harold, B. S., '88, Editor and Proprietor *Manitou Springs Journal*, Manitou Springs, Colo. Died at Manitou Springs, Nov. 1, 1897.

Richards, Daniel Webster, A. B., '86, Lawyer, Gallipolis, Ohio. Died at Fayetteville, W. Va., Sept. 7, 1890.

Smith, Solon Chester, A. B., '88. Died at Pembroke, Va., March 16, 1906.

Evans, Elizabeth, Music Course, '96, Mrs. J. Edwin Porter. Died at Lima, Ohio, March 17, 1907.

Donations

The following donations to the endowment fund have been made since the publication of last year's catalog:

CASH.

Ruth E. Brockett, Rio Grande, Ohio.....$100 00
Gertrude Evelyn Moulton, Urbana, Ill..... 5 00

CONDITIONAL PLEDGES.

Benjamin C. Jordan, Alfred, Me.....$100 00
Clarence O. Clark, Rio Grande, Ohio..... ..... 250 00

CALENDAR

1908

First Term of College Year, 1908-1909, begins Monday, August 31
First Public Rhetorical Exercises ..... October 29
Second Term ..... November 9
Winter vacation, begins Saturday ..... December 19

1909

College opens Monday ..... January 4
Second Public Rhetorical Exercises ..... January 21
Third Term begins Monday ..... February 1
Third Public Rhetorical Exercises ..... April 1
Fourth Term begins Monday ..... April 12
Fourth Public Rhetorical Exercises ..... June 10
Baccalaureate Sermon, Sunday, 10:30 A. M ..... June 13
Annual Address before Y. M. C. A., Sunday evening ..... June 13
Anniversary of Preparatory Department, Monday evening, June 14
Literary Society Anniversary, Tuesday evening ..... June 15
Trustee Meeting, Wednesday, 9 A. M ..... June 16
Commencement Day, Thursday ..... June 17
Summer Term ..... June 21—July 30

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